

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Case No. 1:25-cr-88

Plaintiff,

v.

Hon. Paul L. Maloney

JAMES DONALD VANCE, JR.

Defendant.

**DEFENDANT'S INITIAL PRETRIAL  
CONFERENCE SUMMARY STATEMENT**

Defendant JAMES DONALD VANCE, JR., through his/her attorney,  
submits the following initial pretrial conference summary statement.

I. DISCOVERY

☒ The defendant requests disclosure pursuant to Federal Rules of Evidence 404(b).

The defendant ☒ will ☐ will not provide reciprocal discovery.

II. TRIAL

The defendant requests a ☒ jury ☐ non-jury trial.

III. MISCELLANEOUS

The parties acknowledge that if the case is appropriate for expedited resolution and sentencing, a joint motion for expedited sentencing shall be filed within 14 days of arraignment.

☒ Counsel for defendant is unaware at this time of any known conflict with counsel's representation of defendant. Counsel will immediately advise the court if any such conflict becomes known.

☐ Counsel for defendant is aware of the following potential conflicts:

IV. OBLIGATIONS

☒ Counsel for defendant acknowledges having reviewed the Obligations of Defense Counsel section available at the court's website, [www.miwd.uscourts.gov](http://www.miwd.uscourts.gov) >> Attorney Information >> Criminal Case Information.

Date 06/12/2025

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